

THE WEATHER.  
Thursday probably rain or  
snow; Friday unsettled.

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#### THE SOLUTION.

The solid shadow of a doubt  
Shuts hell within; bars heaven out;  
Prisoner, with Death alone,  
I tremble, dreading the Unknown.  
But faith, a solid shaft of light,  
Bridges the gulf; lo, plain in sight  
The free, eternal life above;  
My heart sings, knowing God is love.  
—Stokely S. Fisher.

#### SLIGHT IMPROVEMENT IN CON- DITION OF MRS. SHORT.

A slight improvement in the con-  
dition of Mrs. Willie Sayre Short of Lex-  
ington, was reported at the Good Sa-  
maritan Hospital this morning. Mrs.  
Short has been at the hospital there  
one week since taking a bichloride of  
mercury tablet by mistake.

#### NOTICE TO PASTORS AND CHURCH CLERKS.

All announcements for Sunday serv-  
ices must be in this office by 12 o'clock  
tomorrow to insure insertion.

Our price this week for butterfat,  
34 cents, Maysville.  
MAYSVILLE MODEL CREAMERY, as on East Fourth street.

#### OLD RIVER CAPTAIN DEAD.

Newport, Ky., February 23.—Captain  
James H. Simmons, one of the best  
known retired river men in this sec-  
tion, died yesterday at the home of his  
daughter, Mrs. James Mowell of this  
city. Captain Simmons was 89 years  
old. He was one of Kentucky's oldest  
Masons and was known to every river  
man from Pittsburgh to New Orleans.  
The funeral services will be held  
Thursday afternoon.

#### WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE LEAGUE MEETS THIS AFTERNOON.

The Mason County Woman's Suf-  
frage League will meet this afternoon  
at 2 o'clock at the Public Library.  
The success of the suffrage cause de-  
pends upon the efforts of those who  
believe in it. Your help is needed.  
Important business. Please be  
prompt. ALICE LLOYD, President.

#### PRAYER MEETING.

Regular weekly prayer meeting  
service this evening at 7 o'clock at the  
Third Street M. E. church will be led  
by the pastor, Rev. J. M. Lital. A  
Christian welcome awaits you. The  
choir will practice immediately fol-  
lowing this meeting.

Ladies' Aid Society of the East Sec-  
ond Street M. E. church, South, meets  
this afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. Thom-  
MAYSVILLE MODEL CREAMERY, as on East Fourth street.

## CRISIS FACED

Congress and President At Logger-  
heads Over Foreign Policy and  
Germany Reaches Limit of  
Concessions—War May  
Follow Unless Con-  
gress Inter-  
venes.

Washington, February 23.—Pres-  
ident Wilson and Congress, facing a  
genuine crisis with Germany, are at  
loggerheads tonight on the question of  
policy. The situation is unprece-  
dented. Never before in the history of  
the United States has there been an  
occasion when the executive head  
of the nation and Congress have been so  
widely apart on a matter of such im-  
mediate gravity. As a climax to a day  
of chaos the German reply to the latest  
demands of the United States  
reached Washington tonight. It is  
understood to be very unsatisfactory.  
The President has told the leaders of  
Congress that he is determined to  
force an "immediate showdown" with  
the Teutonic allies and has warned  
them that he will not tolerate any  
interference with his handling of in-  
ternational situation. Congress is  
equally determined that Americans  
shall be warned off armed merchant-  
men, totally in defiance of the Pres-  
ident's express wishes. Administrative  
advisers and the leaders in Congress  
tonight are in a state of uncertainty  
and apprehension that operates op-  
posite to the possibility of concerted  
action. No one of them is willing to  
predict what tomorrow will bring  
forth.

A few outstanding points are:  
Senator Stone, chairman of the com-  
mittee on foreign relations, will tell  
the President tomorrow morning that  
a powerful group in Congress, prob-  
ably a majority of both Houses, is op-  
posed to his plan of forcing Germany  
to admit the right of neutrals to travel  
on armed ships.

Majority leader Kitchin declared  
that if the President proposed to  
force Germany into war, he could not  
count on the support of Congress.

At the White House it was an-  
nounced that Senator Stone, at the re-  
quest of the President, will not make  
his intended speech in reply to Elihu  
Root's attack on the administration.

Germany's attitude, it is understood,  
is that its earlier reply to this gov-  
ernment's note acceded to every de-  
mand made by the United States, in-  
cluding the substitution of the word  
"recognizes" for "assumes" liability.  
This reply, it is said, is Germany's  
last word so far as the Lusitania is-  
sue is concerned.

#### GREATEST BATTLE OF THE WAR NOW ON BEFORE FRENCH LINES.

London, February 23.—Led by the  
Crown Prince, 250,000 Germans are  
attacking the French on a front of  
twenty-five miles in a colossal smash  
for the great fortress of Verdun.

They have broken through the  
French lines on a front of ten miles to  
a depth of two miles and are within  
eight miles of the fortress. The vil-  
lage of Naumont is in German hands.

French and English view it as the  
last tremendous effort of the Germans,  
which, if it fails, will condemn them  
to a shakled defensive on every front.

The losses on both sides are count-  
ed in the tens of thousands, according  
to all accounts. The attacks are be-  
ing made by picked troops, veterans of  
Russia and the Balkans, men who took  
part in the first great smash at Paris  
which carried to the Marne.

#### ENJOYABLE AFFAIR.

The Washington a la carte banquet  
given Tuesday evening at the First  
Baptist church by the G. A. and Y.  
W. A. societies, was a very unique and  
enjoyable affair, those present pro-  
nouncing it one of the most successful  
social events of the season.

The program was carried out in its  
entirety. All the numbers were ex-  
ceedingly well rendered and thor-  
oughly appreciated.

The Girls' Auxiliary and the Young  
Women's Auxiliary, with their capable  
leader, Mrs. L. H. Voale, certainly de-  
serve great credit and are entitled to  
the unstinted praise showered upon  
them by their guests.

The societies request us to express  
their appreciation of the kindness of  
all those who took part in the pro-  
gram or otherwise lent their assist-  
ance in giving the banquet.

#### MAIL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED.

For all grades of whiskies and  
liquors. Our prices are right. Order  
today. Poynta Bros., Covington, Ky.

#### FOR SALE.

General sale of household goods, in-  
cluding piano, sewing machine, bed,  
dresser, wardrobe, etc. Call and get  
prices over Wood's Meat Market on  
Market street.

MRS. K. V. MOOREFIELD.

#### TOBACCO MARKET

Sales On Maysville Loose Leaf Floors  
As Reported By the Various  
Warehouses.

#### Home.

Pounds sold .....36,700  
High price .....\$42.00  
Low price .....\$3.45  
Average .....\$11.26  
Special—John Dodson, Mason coun-  
ty, \$29.01; E. G. Downing, Mason coun-  
ty, \$14; A. Jefferson, Robertson coun-  
ty, \$12.49; J. J. Smoot, Bath county,  
\$12.40.

#### Independent.

Pounds sold .....8,295  
High price .....\$42.00  
Low price .....\$4.00  
Average .....\$12.24  
Special—G. Henson, Oakwoods, Ky.  
\$18.10; John Bradford, Manchester  
O., \$18.51; Smith & Stewart, Fernleaf  
Ky., \$14.85.

#### Central.

Small sale averaging \$11.55, selling  
from \$4.20 to \$38.

#### Growers.

Pounds sold .....70,005  
High price .....\$50.00  
Low price .....\$3.50  
Average .....\$14.25  
Special—Letzer, 1,265 pounds, \$13-  
33; Grover, 2,795 pounds, \$17.14;  
Flaughter & Son, Ripley, 2,216 pounds,  
\$19.67; Stevenson & Gilp, 2,575  
pounds, \$15.86; Cooper & Walling-  
ford, 3,595 pounds, \$16.85; Bradford &  
Shelton, 8,895 pounds, \$15.66; Wallace  
Weaver, 3,100 pounds, \$14.55; Martin  
Peters, 1,665 pounds, \$12.65; Schwartz  
& O'Connell, 2,905 pounds, \$18.60.

#### Liberty.

Pounds sold .....99,955  
High price .....\$29.00  
Low price .....\$3.60  
Average .....\$12.06  
Special—Kabler & Hill, 3,865  
pounds, \$13.47; J. D. Mackey, 5,775  
pounds, \$17.64; Emmett & Haugh-  
aboo, 3,810 pounds, \$18.12; William  
Calvert, 2,200 pounds, \$17.11.  
Market good.

#### ENTERTAINED FOR MRS. LOUIS K. PARRY.

Mrs. Louis K. Parry of Pittsburg,  
has been the honor guest at many  
gatherings the last week. Her friends  
are glad to see her in Maysville again.  
Mrs. J. Foster Barbour entertained  
most delightfully at luncheon for her  
on last Monday. Mrs. W. G. Lewis in-  
vited a dozen of her close friends to  
chat with her quite informally over  
the coffee cups on Tuesday. Mrs.  
John Hall entertained for her on  
Wednesday, while Mrs. W. D. Coch-  
ran claims the popular lady for the  
week-end.

#### POLICE COURT.

Rachel Clayton, colored, charged  
with receiving stolen goods in the  
shape of coal, bound over to the Cir-  
cuit Court with bail fixed at \$100.  
Walter Stokes, colored, breach of  
peace, fined \$4.90.  
Hamm Combes, plain drunk, fined  
\$10.50.

Through her attorney, Robert Buck-  
ler of Mt. Olivet, Mary S. Kird filed a  
divorce suit in the Mason County Cir-  
cuit Court against her husband, John  
Kird, on statutory grounds.

Mr. J. B. Newcomb of Ripley, O., is  
a business visitor in this city.

**NEVER FRIES DARK**

In preparing bacon for your breakfast, it should be noticed that "PARTRIDGE" Bacon, even though done to a turn, will retain its rich, golden color. This is one of the distinctions of "PARTRIDGE" Bacon, in that its very appearance on your breakfast table, crisp, tender, golden brown and piping hot, will arouse and stimulate the most sluggish appetite. So perfect is the cure of the "PARTRIDGE" Bacon, that it can never fry dark. Order a pound today.

**Dinger Bros., 107 W. Second St. Phone 20.**

Mr. H. C. Curran and Mr. R. M. David McCutcheon, aged 77, a Civil War veteran, died at Manchester last week.

**A Proposition To YOU,  
Mr. Razor User!**

Buy a 50 cent package of DURHAM DUPLEX RAZOR BLADES from us and we will loan you a DURHAM RAZOR FREE of charge for 60 days. A good chance to try out the BEST RAZOR on the market FREE. See window.

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All the latest patterns in wallpaper at CRANE & SHAFER'S.

Mr. L. M. Cavendish is transacting business in Huntington, W. Va.

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Good Order For  
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plies**

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Fortified Tires  
FORTIFIED AGAINST  
Rim-Cuts—by the No-Rim-Cut feature.  
Slow-Leaks—by the "On-Air" cure.  
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thick All-Weather tread.

**THE FRAME WORK**

in any building operation requires  
greater care than a great many peo-  
ple imagine. The lumber that goes  
into it should be of the best because  
it constitutes the inner shell. Let  
that weaken and the whole structure  
begins to totter. This is good advice.  
Come here and buy.

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Sardines. Seasonable right now and the quality fine. Send us your order.  
GEISEL & CONRAD Phone 43.

**Hunt's Annual Linen Exposition**

Judging from some linen prices every merchant did not take timely warning of the rising cost of flax. The demand for linens today is greater than the supply. Prices have not only gone up but they keep going up. We bought long ago and we have the largest stock of linens today we ever had, even in this house of large linen stocks. We bought at the old prices and we are giving linens to you at prices wholesalers ask us today.

**Linen Brevities**

BLEACHED TABLE LINEN 50c TO \$3 YARD.  
SILVER-BLEACHED DAMASK 50c TO \$2.25.  
COLORED TABLE LINEN 25c TO \$1.00.  
DINNER NAPKINS \$1.00 TO \$6.50 DOZEN.  
TEA NAPKINS 50c TO \$3.35.

SET OF CLOTH AND TWELVE NAPKINS \$7 TO \$15.  
DOILIES 5c TO 25c.  
CENTER PIECES 25c TO \$4.00.  
LUNCHEON CLOTHS 25c TO \$5.00.  
BATTENBERG AND MEXICAN TABLECLOTHS 75c TO \$10.  
SCARFS 25c TO \$4.00.

**All of Fashion's Favorites in Black Dress Goods**

A black dress is always in good taste. You won't tire of it either, as you might of a colored dress. You will find satisfactory choosing here among the many pretty black fabrics newly arrived for spring. They are shown by clean, searching daylight, but every piece can stand the test. Every black here is a clear honest black, not the black that fades, cracks or turns gray. Serge, gaberdine, poplin, purnella, voile, tamise, crepe. Every fabric fashion favors you will find represented, and at all prices from 50c to \$2.00 yard.

Do you know that our stock of silk and wool dress goods is larger than that of any TWO stores in Maysville? These are undisputed facts. No one would dare make statements so easily disproved. And we wouldn't if we would. Honest advertising is Hunt advertising.

Mr. Wylie Stableton of Manchester, O., was transacting business in Maysville Wednesday.

Commonwealth Attorney B. S. Grannis of Flemingsburg, was in this city Wednesday.

Our new Spring wallpapers are ready for your inspection. Come in. CRANE & SHAFER.

Mr. F. C. Shriver of Georgetown, O., is the guest of friends at German town.

**SATURDAY WILL BE  
RED LETTER DAY  
DOUBLE STAMPS!**

**PREPAREDNESS!** For months past we have been anticipating our wants. We knew long ago that there would be heavy advances in all kinds of goods from a paper of pins to a handsome Axminster rug. We are going to protect our customers as long as we can, but when we will have to buy on the advanced market we will have to raise prices accordingly. Here is our warning to all of our customers---BUY NOW! You will thank us for the tip.

**BUY NOW** if you need a rug, carpet, linoleum, oilcloth, suit or a coat, dress goods or silks, embroideries or laces, gloves or hosiery, cotton goods of all kinds, tobacco cottons and shoes and Oxfords. We do not believe that there is another store in Kentucky selling Dry Goods as LOW as we are today. Again we repeat BUY NOW.

**MEERZ BROS.**

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## FALSE POSTAL ECONOMY REBUKED.

If there is one governmental department to the exclusion of all other Federal agencies where penny-saving economy should not be exercised, that department is the big machine which handles the United States mails.

Every day one finds evidence of a crippled postal service. Here in Central Kentucky, with good business men like Postmaster Kaufman in the executive and supervisory positions, the postal service seems to be at the lowest point of efficiency that it has suffered in many years.

This unfortunate state of affairs is due, in a large measure, to the policy of cutting down clerical forces in the larger towns and cities and the reduction of the facilities for transporting the mail by railroad. The government, it is true, has been compelled to operate under failing revenues, which is the result of the revision in the taxing system which the Democrats put into effect when they got into power, but a department which is as close to the people and as intimately related to commerce as the Postoffice Department it should certainly be the last to feel the wilting effect of enforced economy.

More unfortunate still, in the face of the attempt to save money in the postal service, unwise experiments seem to have been made which further tended to demoralize the system of distributing the mail. The Philadelphia Inquirer of recent date, discussing this phase of the subject, said:

"Congressman Griest of Pennsylvania, announces that the postoffice bill, as reported to the House, permanently establishes the village mail delivery system with which experiments have been made during the past four years. By this plan there is a regular mail delivery in towns of less than ten thousand population, that apply for this privilege to the department and comply with the regulations that have been prescribed. It is a move in the right direction, and scores of thriving towns in Pennsylvania will profit by the innovation. It is interesting to note that in drafting the postoffice bill the committee actually gave the department more than it asked for next year, but he purpose in doing this was to rebuke the Postmaster General and his assistants for their false and undesirable economies."

"The trouble with the present management of the postoffice business, like so many of the other branches of the Wilson administration, is that there has been an attempt to mix politics and undemonstrated theories with what should be a purely business concern. It may be said truthfully that politics have always have more or less to do with this important branch of the government. This must be admitted, but when an attempt was made to add foolish theories to the political load it was more than the system could bear, and so we have chaos and disorder to such an extent that the Democratic majority in Congress feels called upon to ignore the recommendations of the Democratic Postmaster General. The truth of the matter is that Mr. Barleson is about as poorly equipped for the management of the Postoffice Department as Mr. Daniels is for the Navy and Mr. Redfield for the Department of Commerce. They are all amiable men, educated along certain lines, but they have blundered hopelessly in their various experiments and in politics, as has been well said, a blunder is akin to a crime."

"Fortunately, the Postoffice Committee of Congress has halted part of the cheese-paring plan of the department. In the railway mail and the rural free delivery branches of the service the conditions are demoralizing and it has been openly charged on the floor of Congress that this has been caused by the desire of the department to save a few dollars, even if by doing so there would be an impairment of the service. Complaints come from all parts of the country, but what of that if the Postmaster General can assure the people that he has succeeded in saving them some money? Some day we may have an efficient, business management of a public service, which this year will spend \$320,000,000. But it is idle to suppose that it can be brought about by curtailing the privileges of the patrons of the office who pay this enormous bill."—Lexington Herald.

If a show troupe should come along and advertise a free performance the people would jam the hall and line up a hundred deep outside the door. And yet the door of every church is open Sundays and the show is infinitely better than that of any troupe that travels the road.

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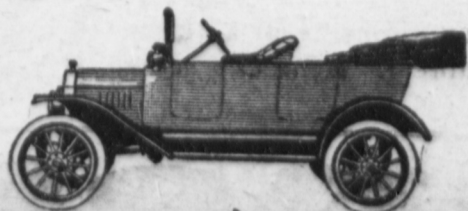
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## PLAYING POLITICS

Some Surprising Juggling Under Way  
By the Democrats in Judicial Districts.

(Lexington Leader.)

The influence of Democratic partisan politics in the judicial affairs of the state is being quite openly shown in the bills now before the General Assembly to change some of the legislative districts of the state. Under the law a judicial district once created, may not be changed except for the creation of a new district by reason of the increase of court business which makes a new district necessary.

This condition has been made the excuse for some surprising juggling with the state's judicial districts, in which, if all reports are true, the object is anything but the facilitation of the business of the courts affected.

The bill which has attracted the greatest interest, and which has already passed the Senate, is the one to create a new district composed of the counties of Wolfe, Morgan and Magoffin. The charge is made by prominent Democrats in the counties affected that the measure is simply a "lame duck" proposition proposed for the benefit of Judge D. W. Gardner, who was defeated in November by Judge A. T. Patrick, a Republican. The salary of Circuit Judges is \$4,200 per year, and with so attractive a salary attached to the office, the chief surprise is that attempts have not been made to create twice as many districts as there are.

## Would Force Two Judges To Move.

The Gardner bill, as it is popularly called in the Legislature, would force two of the present Circuit Judges to move out of their home counties, and take up new residence in the counties left in the district, giving to Judge Gardner charge of the court in his home county, although in the last election the people declined to reseat him by a majority for his opponent of over 1,100 votes.

If the proposed bill passes it will compel Judge Patrick to move out of Magoffin county, and it will also compel Judge Allen N. Cisco, who defeated Judge Redwine for judge of the thirty-second district, to move out of his home county of Morgan, and turn it over to the judge of the new district.

Judge Cisco has been quoted as saying that so far as the new bill serves any purpose in facilitating court business, the state might as well throw \$4,200 in the river. It should be said to the credit of the Republicans in the Legislature that, while the proposed new bill will eventually increase Republican strength in the mountain districts, they oppose the present bill because of its obvious uselessness except as a political gift to Judge Gardner.

## Hutchcraft Has Some Plans, Too.

There was also introduced last week a bill by Representative Hutchcraft of Paris, which bears the same earmarks of political interference in the operation of the courts. Mr. Hutchcraft was an active opponent of the candidacy of Judge Robert Stout in his race for renomination and supported Hon. Emmett Dickson of Paris. He is also an attorney, practicing in Judge Stout's court. In his three-fold capacity, a lawmaker, a lawyer and politician, Mr. Hutchcraft is seeking to remove Bourbon county from Judge Stout's district and tie it with Judge Shackelford's district, which is now composed of the counties of Clark, Estill, Madison and Jessamine. To meet the necessary requirement that judicial districts can not be changed except for the creation of a new district, the Hutchcraft bill makes changes right and left through eastern and southeastern Kentucky, winding up with a new district to be composed of Breathitt, Wolfe and Morgan. While this would leave Judge Patrick undisturbed in Magoffin county it would still make Judge Cisco pack up and move out of Morgan, and would likewise compel Judge M. B. Adams, recently elected on the Republican ticket, to move out of Breathitt county, where his reports are true, his presence and influence are greatly in demand by peace loving people of both parties.

## Rearranges Several Districts.

The Hutchcraft scheme besides creating the Thirty-sixth district, rearranges the Fourteenth, Twenty-third, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-seventh and Thirty-fourth districts as follows:

Fourteenth—Franklin, Scott and Woodford.

Twenty-third—Lee, Estill, Powell and Jackson.

Twenty-fifth—Bourbon, Clark, Madison and Jessamine.

Twenty-seventh—Laurel, Whitley and McCreary.

Thirty-fourth—Knox and Clay.

The Governor is authorized to appoint a judge and commonwealth attorney in the new thirty-sixth.

The creating of the new district will take out of the pockets of the people some \$8,200 annually in salary and fees, and it will be interesting to note whether or not this condition will come within the purview of the administration's policy of retrenchment and reform and elimination of useless offices.

## NEARLY HALF CENTURY

A Patient At the Brown County, O., Infirmary Has Been Ill Forty-eight Years.

(Georgetown News-Democrat.)

There is a patient at the Brown county infirmary, who probably holds a record that is unequalled in any other similar institution in Ohio. This person is known as "Aunt Kate" McGehey. She is paralyzed, and has been in this condition during the forty-eight years she has been there. Despite this condition, she is apparently in the very best of health and enjoys her meals three times a day. In fact, it is said about the institution that if she finds that she is what is commonly called the least "off" in her appetite she immediately summons Superintendent Burris to inform him of her discovery. She must be helped to and from her cot each day, yet in spite of her helplessness, she keeps her cheerful disposition.

## NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS.

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Kentucky. In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Geo. W. McDaniel & Co., Bankrupts, in Bankruptcy.

To the creditors of Geo. W. McDaniel & Co., of Maysville in the county of Mason and district aforesaid, bankrupts. Notice is hereby given that on the 17th day of February, A. D., 1916, the said Geo. W. McDaniel & Co., were duly adjudicated bankrupts and that the first meeting of their creditors will be held at the office of J. M. Collins, Maysville, Kentucky, on the 6th day of March, A. D., 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

MARTIN M. DURRETT,  
Referee in Bankruptcy.  
Covington, Ky., February 24, 1916.

After taking a whack at the women folks for playing cards for prizes, the Scott county grand jury recommended that the colored and white prisoners in the county jail be separated, and they be given use of different bath tubs. They urged that the conditions be changed at once, even if the Fiscal Court must borrow the money, or else "turn the prisoners out."

No fewer than 176 different kinds of bananas are grown in various parts of the world.

HUSBAND RESCUED  
DESPAIRING WIFE

After Four Years of Discouraging Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave

Up in Despair. Husband  
Came to Rescue.

Catron, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good.

THE MOST  
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**Coca-Cola**  
AT ALL GROCERY STORES,  
CAFES AND STANDS.  
5¢ A BOTTLE.

## OFFICIAL CALL

For Republican Ninth District Convention To Be Held In Mt. Sterling February 29.

Maysville, Ky., Jan. 19, 1916.

To the Republican Electors of the Ninth Congressional District of Kentucky:

Pursuant to a meeting of the Ninth Congressional Republican District Committee and the official call of the Republican State Central Committee, the Republican Ninth District Committee now directs that a district convention of delegated representatives of the Republican part of the above named district be held in the city of Mt. Sterling, at 10 o'clock a. m., standard time, on Tuesday, the 29th day of February, 1916, for the purpose of electing two district delegates and two alternate delegates to attend the National Convention of the Republican party to be held in Chicago, Ill., on Wednesday, the 7th day of June, 1916; also to elect a member of the State Central Committee, and for the nomination of one election to be voted for the next national election.

The delegates to said convention shall be elected by county mass conventions, to be held in the county seat of each county in said district, at 1 o'clock p. m., standard time, on Saturday, February 26th, 1916, except in the county of Boyd, in which said county, the convention shall be held in the city of Ashland.

One delegate shall be elected for each one hundred votes or fraction thereof amounting to fifty or over, east for the Republican candidates for electors in each county at the Presidential election in 1908. The counties in said district are entitled to representation as follows:

Bath 15, Boyd 29, Bracken 11, Breathitt 16, Carter 26, Elliott 6, Fleming 20, Greenup 21, Harrison 16, Lawrence 21, Lewis 25, Mason 21, Menefee 5, Montgomery 13, Morgan 14, Nicholas 11, Robertson 4, Rowan 10, Wolf 8, Total 292.

P. H. McCARTNEY,  
Chairman.  
CLARENCE MATHEWS,  
Secretary.

Col. E. H. Gaither of Harrodsburg, received a telegram announcing the death of his eldest son, Morton Gaither, in Mexico City, Mexico, Sunday night at 9 o'clock from typhus fever. He was 35 years of age and immediately after his graduation from State University in 1902, he went to Mexico and engaged in business and has been there ever since.

Mr. C. L. Wood, cashier of the Farmers & Traders Bank, is in Cincinnati on business.

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### PUBLIC SALE.

Saturday, March 4, at the old Sallee farm, one mile from Fernleaf, on the Clark Run and Washington pike.  
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When Sunday mornin' came around  
An' Pa hung up his strap  
An' took his razor out an' made  
It go c'flop! c'flop!  
An' then he got his mug an' brush,  
An' yelled to me, "Behave!"  
I tell you, things was mighty still—  
When Pa began to shave.  
Then Pa he'd stir his brush around,  
An' make the soapuds fly;  
An' sometimes when he stirred too hard  
He got some in his eye.  
I tell you, it was funny then  
To see Pa stamp and rave;  
But they never ketched me laffin'—  
When Pa began to shave.

Continued in Friday's paper. If you can't wait, see complete poem in our window.

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### VICTORY SWEET

For Suffragists in New York Assembly—But It Did Not Last Long.

Albany, N. Y., February 22.—Suffrage scored a victory in the state Assembly here today but sustained a temporary setback in the Senate. By a vote of 11 to 2 the Assembly judiciary committee reported favorably the Brereton bill, introduced at the request of the woman's suffrage party which is designed to bring about another referendum on the suffrage question at the general election in 1917. The judiciary committee of the Senate after considering a companion measure for more than two hours, deferred action on it for two weeks.

**Suffragettes Carry Maryland Senate.**  
Annapolis, Md., February 22.—Woman's suffrage won a victory in the Senate today by a vote of 17 to 10. The measure is pending in the House and is a special order for consideration tomorrow. If passed by the House and approved by the Governor the question will be submitted to the voters of Maryland in the form of a constitutional amendment.

A sanitary stopper for bottles has been invented that opens a valve automatically when a bottle is tilted for pouring.

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### SWIPED THE "GREASES"

Close Call For the Old Family Cat of a West Second Street Resident Tuesday.

"Greases" used to be a sort of luxury. Some of our elder brothers can probably recall the lovely times they have had at home playing England-Germany with the other brothers and sisters to see who would get the bacon rind.

And they also know how careful mother was too not to forget to cook the rind for the dear children, while some fond mothers would tie it to the wrist of the baby in order that it might use it for a "greaser," and it certainly was in a class by itself when applied in this way.

But nowadays things have changed, and the festive bacon rind is a sort of blemish on your fair name if you would mention it in social circles. Consequently not much attention is paid to it, otherwise than as a sort of cast-off.

Tuesday the old family cat of a West Second street residence strayed into a nearby grocery and got hold of a piece of rind that had been cut off and laid carelessly aside.

Of course, the cat got busy on the rind and managed to get about half of it down its throat and then the fur began to fly. It could not get it down any further and it would not come out, and the numerous new stunts that cat pulled off was a caution.

When the man of the house arrived home he found the cat about ready to give up the ninth life and he yanked the rind out, relieving the suffering animal as well as giving it a good "greasing."

### CHAPLIN FUNNY AS HE TRIES TO BE SERIOUS.

New York, February 22.—The Hippodrome was packed to the roof with 500 people seated on the stage—thousands were turned away—Sunday night to see Charlie Chaplin in the flesh. The receipts were more than \$100,000, half of which will go to the Actors' Fund. Without the funny little moustache and the crooked little cane and the black baggy trousers, wearing instead a dinner coat, Chaplin walked on the stage; and although, as he said, he "tried to be serious," he was as funny as ever, and brought down the house whatever he did.

Tom Wise introduced him and forgot his name, and had to hunt all over his expansive waistcoat before he could find it. Then the movie comedian came out and put Sousa's band through "The Poet and Peasant" overture in spirited fashion, and followed it up with a composition of his own called "The Peace Patrol." He was vociferously applauded for nearly five minutes, with every man in the band joining and then he made a little speech.

"Thank you," said Chaplin. "If I could talk like Tom Wise, I'd give up motion pictures at once, but I can't, and I'm scared to death at this very minute with stage fright."

That was all there was to it, yet everybody was satisfied.

### MANY INDICTMENTS IN HARDINSBURG.

Elizabethtown, Ky., February 22.—Following Judge Layman's vigorous charge to the grand jury at Hardinsburg regarding election offenses, about 200 indictments were returned by that body.

The nature of these indictments, however, has not been divulged though it is reported that a number of them were in connection with alleged election offenses. It was also stated that there were some indictments for gambling. This is the largest number of indictments ever returned in this section at one time.

### WHERE IS OUR STREET FLUSHER?

On West Second street from Sutton to Wall, can be seen as nice a display of fruits and vegetables as you would wish. Fifteen feet further away a street can be seen in such condition that it is a disgrace to any city. Other portions of the brick streets are just as bad. What has become of the flusher? Is the driver sick again or has the flusher gone into winter quarters, or our city fathers awaiting the downpour from the heavens? How long, oh, how long, will a suffering public have to wait for the flusher and the sweeper?

Ironton, O., February 22.—The Lawrence County Republican Central Committee met this afternoon and adopted resolutions endorsing Senator Theodore Burton for President, Harry M. Daugherty for Senator and commended the work of Senator Harding. The county was redistricted for delegates, nine to be chosen.

### LAFOLLETTE TOSSES HAT INTO CIRCLE.

Madison, Wis., February 22.—Before a conference of Progressive Republicans from various parts of Wisconsin, Senator Robert M. LaFollette, tonight announced his candidacy for the presidency.

"I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for President in 1916," declared Senator LaFollette. "I believe that patriotic Progressive Republicans are at this time under the highest moral obligation to contest every foot of ground in every state in the Union for representations in the Chicago convention."

Senator LaFollette declared in favor of an embargo on arms; for the national manufacture of munitions of war; asserted that any standing army the government maintains instead of leading wasteful, useless lives, should in times of peace be employed in social service for the government; declared for a conference of neutral nations for early cessation of hostilities.

"One of the worst evils of the military spirit that is being fostered is that absorbs public attention to such an extent that other matters of great interest go unnoticed," the Senator asserted.

He denounced the water power bill now pending before the Senate as a bad measure; assailed the navy league propaganda and declared that the 7,000,000 Republican voters of the United States were not a willing party to what took place at the Chicago convention in 1912.

A full slate of delegates to the Chicago convention was chosen recently to go before the Wisconsin spring primaries. Announcement was made today that LaFollette delegates would be named in North Dakota.

### "AT BAY," GOLD ROOSTER PLAY FEATURING FLORENCE REED AT PASTIME TODAY.

"At Bay," from the famous Broadway success by George Scarborough, will be presented at the Pastime this afternoon and evening. This is a Pathe Gold Rooster play, featuring the charming screen favorite, Florence Reed, supported by an all-star cast of Gold Rooster players.

The Gold Rooster represents supreme quality in photoplays for this has been fully demonstrated to the Maysville picture fans, who demand the best. See Florence Reed in "At Bay" at the Pastime today.

### BALLARD MULLINS, WHO SHOT MAN IN PARIS SALOON, IS KILLED BY TRAIN.

Paris, Ky., February 22.—Ballard Mullins, the young railroad man who shot and killed Quincy Dye in a negro dive here Sunday morning, met swift retribution by being run over and killed by a freight train near Winchester today. Immediately after the murder he escaped and was trying to reach Rockcastle county, where a number of relatives reside. Officers from Paris went to Winchester to identify the body.

### ANOTHER FEELER

From Germany On Submarines—New Note To Open Way For Discussion On Defensive Armament.

Washington, February 22.—Confidential advices from Berlin today indicate that Germany soon will inform the United States that her previous assurances that unresisting liners will not be attacked without warning hold good for further submarine operations provided, however, that such liners do not carry armament.

The German government will contend, the advices state, that what now is characterized as defensive armament really is offensive armament and will propose discussion with the United States of what defensive armament properly may be.

As none of the British and French liners now clearing from American ports carry any guns whatever such assurances from Germany will be in the nature of reassurances for the safety of the neutrals they carry, even under the terms of the new submarine campaign.

In reiterating assurances regarding the future conduct of submarine warfare, which first was given in notes from Count von Bernstorff, in the Arabic case last September, it is considered probable that the German government will state flatly that in all the previous revious negotiations it had been proceeding under the assumption that unarmed liners only were the issue and that it had always understood that the question of armed merchantmen did not enter.

### NOTED SOPRANO TO BE FEATURED AT CHAUTAUQUA

Alice Nielsen, Boston and Metropolitan Opera Star, Is Booked For 1916.

### SINGS ON CLOSING NIGHT

William Owen Company and Band Are Other Features of An Attractive Program.

Cities where Redpath Chautauquas are to be held this summer will have the opportunity of hearing Alice Nielsen, prima donna soprano of the Metropolitan and Boston Opera companies. With a capable supporting company she is to travel over the entire circuit in a private car, and her appearance is announced as the concluding feature of a highly attractive seven-day program.

Another Chautauqua announcement of local interest is that the William Owen company will present "The Servant in the House." Last season this great human interest play was



ALICE NIELSEN.

given in 120 cities, from Jacksonville, Fla., north to Chicago, by the same group of players secured for this circuit. Band day, as usual, will be an important feature of the program.

Miss Nielsen's appearance, of course, will be THE event of Chautauqua week. Internationally famed as a soprano, and with an enviable musical following, her Chautauqua tour promises another triumph for her remarkable career.

After various successes in light opera in America Miss Nielsen appeared in London in "The Fortune Teller," an opera created for her by Victor Herbert. Later, and in record time, she changed from a light opera favorite to a star of first magnitude in grand opera—something that no other light opera star ever has been able to accomplish.

In recent years she has starred with the Boston and Metropolitan Opera companies, and at the present time is under contract with the latter organization in New York city.

Within a few weeks further announcement will be made regarding attractions secured for the 1916 Chautauqua program.

### STIVERS AGAINST COX.

Portsmouth, O., February 22.—Representative E. B. Stivers of Brown county precipitated a bitter fight against endorsing James M. Cox of Dayton a candidate for Governor at a meeting of Democrats of the Sixth Congressional district today.

Upon a vote, however, endorsement of Cox carried, Clermont, Pike, Scioto and Highland counties voting in favor and Brown and Adams counties against.

Harry E. Taylor of Portsmouth, and John Wood of Georgetown, were chosen delegates to the St. Louis convention.

The first American linotype machine in Tripoli recently was installed by an Italian newspaper.

### AID THE KIDNEYS

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Alleged free use of money in the last election in Pike county was called to the attention of the grand jury by Judge John P. Butler in his charge to the jury and the body was directed to make a sweeping investigation of the charges of irregularities.

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## MARRIAGES

## Nash-Rinehard.

Mr. S. Bruce Nash, 36, and Miss Effie Rinehard, 25, both of Trinity, were married Wednesday by Dr. Walker.

## Hitt-Frogge.

Mr. Wood Frogge and Miss Marie Hitt, both of this city, were married Wednesday by County Judge W. H. Rice.

## Case-Tucker.

Mr. John Case, 30, of Mt. Olivet, and Miss Arlie Tucker, 22, of Mason county, were married Wednesday by Rev. H. B. Wilhoite.

## Kilgore-Carpenter.

Mr. Benjamin Kilgore, aged 44, and Miss Rosa D. Carpenter, aged 34, both of Tollesboro, were married Thursday morning by Judge W. H. Rice.

## Alexander-Baird.

Mr. David Alexander and Miss Grace Baird of Blue Licks, were united in marriage in the parlors of the Christian parsonage Wednesday by the pastor, Rev. A. F. Stahl.

## Double Wedding.

Marriage license was issued to Harlan H. Himes, aged 16, and Miss Minnie C. Irwin, aged 18, both of Trinity; also Harry Irwin, aged 21, and Miss Lula Hendrickson, aged 17, both of Trinity, to be married by Rev. A. F. Felts.

## GOVERNOR STANLEY HOLDS CONFERENCE IN LOUISVILLE.

Louisville, Ky., February 23.—Governor Stanley arrived in Louisville yesterday at noon and went direct to the Seelbach Hotel, where a political conference, said to be of some importance, was at once begun. Representatives Adam Spahn and William Kuh of the Louisville delegation in the Legislature accompanied the Governor to the rooms reserved for him and a message was at once sent out to find Mr. Eli Brown.

Later other Louisville politicians began to arrive and the report was soon around the lobby of the hotel that the Governor had come here to make an effort to get the Louisville members and others to support a substitute for the Greene Sunday closing bills, although whether the pending substitute or some other was not known. The Louisville members are all opposed to the Greene bills. None of those called to the conference seemed to know its exact objects. After attending the Automobile Show the Governor returned to Frankfort.

## UNFORTUNATE WOMAN.

Editor The Ledger: I would like to know where the Humane Society is. I notice a poor, unfortunate woman has been set outdoors more than ten days ago and her furniture is still in the street. Where are the good people? Is there no help for the poor, unfortunate women and children. She may be an undesirable citizen, but she is human.

A SUBSCRIBER.

## NEW CLERK.

Mr. Jake Hurst, formerly clerk at the New Central Hotel, has accepted a position as day clerk at the Whitehall Hotel.

"Aunt Mollie" Case, 80 years of age, died at the County Infirmary Wednesday from heart failure. "Aunt Mollie" was well and favorably known to the citizens in the western part of the county. The remains were taken to the Salem cemetery near Germantown Thursday morning for burial.

The Ledger is pleased to announce that the condition of Miss Mabel Crowell is somewhat improved this morning. The many friends of this bright and attractive young lady are anxiously watching this case and hoping for a continued improvement.

R. L. Turner, W. H. Collins, John Laythan of Mayslick; Palmer Belfry, Sardis; R. T. Watson, Shannon; J. W. Laycock and James L. Collins, Dover, were on the local tobacco market Wednesday.

Mr. F. M. Harover, president of the Bank of Manchester, has been unanimously elected junior vice commander of the Loyal Legion to be voted for at the annual election to be held in May.

Manchester's loose leaf tobacco sales have closed for this season, the aggregate amount disposed of on the floor there amounting to between 500,000 and 750,000 pounds.

In Mason County Court Wednesday, Mr. J. W. Elgin qualified as notary public, with Mr. C. Calvert Early as surety.

Mrs. Margaret E. Schreiber of Portsmouth, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Cablish of East Fourth street.

S. E. Brooks, grocer of Millersburg, made an assignment Monday. His liabilities are \$2,500 and assets \$1,500.

Attorney Allan B. Cole is in Vanceburg to attend the Circuit Court.

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## GEORGE WASHINGTON TEA.

The hospitable home of the Misses Lee on Market street was thrown open the evening of the 22nd for a Washington Tea, given in the interest of the Sewing Society of the Central Presbyterian church. The fair entertainers were in costume, and trunks and attics had been ransacked for silks that would "stand alone" and put to shame the finery of a later day. The attractive rooms with their rich inheritance of old mahogany and cutglass, were a fitting background for the grand dames bewitching with their patches and powdered hair and the stately gallants in periwigs and knee-breeches. Everywhere were reminders of the day and the "First American." Old Glory's folds floated above her sons and daughters and there were hatches opened to have satisfied even Carrie Nation. Historic cherries were the favored fruit, and the patriotic theme was carried out also in the delicious refreshments. Among those in costume were Miss Lee in black broadened satin and old lace as "Lady," and Mr. James B. Wood as President Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Walker and Miss Margaret Walker as the historic Adams family. Mrs. Ben Poyntz as Dolly Madison. Mrs. James B. Wood as Mistress William Payne, Miss Mary Dewees Poyntz as Nellie Custis, Miss Theo Curran as Mistress Mollie Story, the Misses Peers as the Demoiselles Otis, Mrs. Franklin as Mistress "Light Horse Harry" Lee, Miss Lettie Wood as Betsy Ross, and the Misses Stevenson as the Munroe sisters. Elizabeth Franklin, Mary Woodson Taulbee and Brent and Houston Wood were charming little men and women of the Revolutionary period. The evening was a pronounced artistic, social and financial success.

—Contributed.

## A SCATHING ARRANGMENT.

Washington, D. C.—(Special Correspondence)—It is doubtful is ever before a President of the United States was subjected to so scathing an arraignment as was President Wilson by Elihu Root, in opening the New York Republican convention. Dignity, incisiveness, forceful and pitiless logic and a complete absence of violence or even extravagance made Mr. Root's indictment so terrible that the administration is today fairly writhing under it and Democrats in Congress are prone to admit, in private conversation, that the former Senator from New York has so mercilessly exposed the clay feet of this idol as to render his rehabilitation a herculean task. In a single chapter, Mr. Root laid bare the woeful inefficiency of the Democratic party, the characteristic and temperamental unfitness of Woodrow Wilson for his high office and long array of deplorable and humiliating blunders which have resulted from entrusting the government of a great nation to such incompetents. "The sad part of Mr. Root's indictment is that every word of it is true," said a prominent and a lifelong Democrat. "We Democrats, however loyal, can not answer it. We must devote our efforts to trying to distract public attention from it."

## WILSON HONORS MR. AND MRS. CHAMP CLARK.

Washington, February 23.—The President and Mrs. Wilson gave a dinner at the White House last night in honor of Speaker and Mrs. Champ Clark. More than seventy guests attended. Among the interesting guests invited to meet the Speaker and Mrs. Clark were Mr. and Mrs. Ignace Paderewski. After the dinner Mr. Paderewski played on the famous gold piano, with which he is quite familiar, having been frequently entertained at the White House during the administrations of Roosevelt and Taft.

## MISSOURI MAN ACCEPTS RUSSIAN AMBASSADORSHIP.

Washington, February 23.—David R. Francis, Secretary of the Interior in Cleveland's cabinet and former Governor of Missouri, told President Wilson he would accept the post of ambassador to Russia to succeed George T. Mayre, who has resigned. His nomination will be sent to the Senate as soon as inquiry can be made of the Russian government as to whether he is acceptable.

Coal said to be equal in quality to the best American steaming coal has been discovered in Venezuela.

## BARBERS' UNION ACTS.

A local barbershop which did not observe the order of the union to take a half-holiday on Washington's birthday was given thirty days to put itself right with the organization at a meeting of the union held Wednesday night.

## OUR COLORED CITIZENS

Mrs. Walter Thomas of West Third street, has as her guest her brother, Mr. George Anderson, and her cousin, Mrs. Emma White of Portsmouth, O.

William Washington of the Mayslick neighborhood, was Wednesday adjudged insane and ordered to the State Asylum for the Insane at Lexington, by County Judge W. H. Rice.

The members of the grand lodge committee are requested to assemble at their committee room in Oddfellows' Hall, Friday night at 8 o'clock, as business of importance will come up for disposition.

Mr. George Wells, aged 75 years, died Wednesday at his home on East Third street. He is survived by his wife and five children, Mrs. Lizzie Fields and Mrs. Bettie Green of this city, Mrs. Charles Murphy, Springfield, O., Mrs. Lou Miles, Boston, Mass., and Mr. George Wells, Cincinnati.

The funeral will be held at the Bethel Baptist church and interment in the Maysville cemetery.

The first of the series of lectures to be given under the auspices of the Bethel Baptist Sewing Circle will be heard Friday night at the church. The pastor, Rev. R. Jackson, will deliver the lecture, the subject of which is "Influence and How to Exert It." Mrs. Maggie Patton will read an interesting paper on "Sex Hygiene," and a beautiful solo will be rendered by Miss Saddle Bell. The junior choir has prepared special music for this occasion. Each and every one is invited to be present.

## "BATTLE CRY OF PEACE" A GREAT PICTURE.

What is probably the greatest war drama ever filmed, "The Battle Cry of Peace," showed to good sized crowds at the Washington Theater yesterday both afternoon and night, notwithstanding the fact that the weather was very bad.

Charles Richman in the leading role was superb, and he was ably assisted by an all-star cast, which made the picture rise to unusual heights.

A wealth of interesting material and action upon action furnished thrills by the yard which far transcended anything an acted play could present. Taking it all in all, it was a magnificent and sensational performance.

The picture will be shown again today at this popular theater at the same prices.

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